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C O N F I D E N T I A L ANKARA 3947

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: NATO, NAC, PORC  
SUBJECT: SUMMIT COMMUNIQUE - THE ARMS EMBARGO ISSUE

REF: A) ATHENS 4214, B) STATE 131751  
GOG RESISTANCE TO MENTION IN SUMMIT COMMUNIQUE OF EFFORTS TO  
LIFT EMBARGO ON TURKEY UNDERSTANDABLE INASMUCH AS GREEKS  
HAVE APPARENTLY ADOPTED EMBARGO AS CENTERPIECE OF THEIR  
POLICY VIS-A-VIS TURKEY. NEVERTHELESS BEFORE AGREEING TO  
WATER DOWN OR TO REMOVE THE OFFENDING PARAGRAPH WE SHOULD  
RECOGNIZE THAT MOVE IN THAT DIRECTION WILL REINFORCE TURKISH  
BELIEFS THAT (A) U.S. EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN POLICY IS  
ULTIMATELY RESPONSIVE TO PRESSURES OF GOG AND GREEK PARTISANS  
IN U.S., AND (B) CARTER ADMINISTRATION'S SUPPORT FOR  
EFFORT TO LIFT THE EMBARGO REMAINS QUESTIONABLE. FACT THAT  
GOT HAS NOT MATCHED GOG IN ITS EFFORT TO LOBBY ON THIS  
PARAGRAPH OF COMMUNIQUE DOES NOT MEAN THAT GOT CARES LESS THAN  
GOG ABOUT THE ISSUE. WE REALIZE SUMMIT COMMUNIQUE MUST TAKE  
INTO ACCOUNT INTERESTS OF ALL ALLIES, AND WE EXPECT THAT  
COMPROMISE WILL EVENTUALLY EMERGE WHICH WILL SATISFY NEITHER  
GOG NOR GOT. WE URGE HOWEVER THAT U.S. NOT TAKE THE LEAD  
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(AS SUGGESTED REF (B) IN SOFTENING COMMUNIQUE'S LANGUAGE ON  
EMBARGO ISSUE.  
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